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FROM:	Chief, Procurement Division, OL	25X1
SUBJECT:	Agency Standard Word Processor Requirement	
REFERENCES:	A - Memo for C/IMS from D/L dtd 24 Jul 81 Subj: Sole-Source Procurement of Automation Equipment for Project CRAFT	25X1
	B - Memo for D/L from D/DP dtd 29 Jul 81 Subj: Proposed Delay in Selection of Agency Standard Work Processor	25X1
	C - Memo for D/L from C/IMS/DO dtd 4 Aug 81 Subj: Sole-Source Procurement of Automation Equipment for Project CRAFT	25 X 1

On 7 August a meeting was held in the DDA's office concerning acquisition strategy to be followed in setting this agency's requirements for standardization of word processor equipment.

Those attending:

Mr. H. Fitzwater, DDA , D/ODP D/OL IHSS /DDA	25X1
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Attendees were given a brief statement on the rationale for the D/L's request that the Standard WP RFP be delayed six months in order to incorporate IMS/DDO CRAFT requirements within the Standard RFP currently being prepared by ODP. Attendees were informed that PD personnel met with ODP to discuss the first iteration of ODP's RFP on 31 July. At that time a second draft RFP was presented to PD personnel for review and comment. They were also informed that the D/L's proposal to slip the acquisition schedule (ref A) was premised on an estimate of how long it would take IMS to prepare a system's study for CRAFT. However, IMS indicates in Reference C that it intends to complete the study by Oct 1981. That being the case if ODP does not desire to seek industry comments through the use of a preliminary

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RFP, PD has no objection to issuing the RFP, once ODP has completed its consolidated systems study and a rationale for a system's life of 60 months required in the RFP. If ODP can finish these studies by October and the RFP can be finalized at that time, PD/OL believes that an adequate number of firms will be available to compete for the Standard WP.

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